

I claim:

1 A selection device comprising:  
2 a display designed to present a selection; and  
3 a selector operable in two independent axes, a first axis for changing the selection and  
4 a second axis for acceptance or rejection of the selection.

1 2. A selection device according to claim 1, wherein the first axis of the selector is  
2 a rotation axis.

1 3. A selection device according to claim 2, wherein the display changes in  
2 relation to the rotation of the selector around the rotation axis.

1 4. A selection device according to claim 1, wherein the selection opens a sub-  
2 menu for further selection with the selection device.

1 5. A selection device according to claim 1, wherein the selection is designed to  
2 scroll across the display in the direction the selector is moved.

1 6. A selection device according to claim 1, the selection device further  
2 comprising interconnection means for interconnecting the selection device with a second  
3 device to exchange data.

1 7. A selection device according to claim 6, wherein the interconnection means  
2 includes a plug designed to accept a cable between the selection device and the second  
3 device.

1 8. A selection device according to claim 6, wherein the interconnection means  
2 includes a wireless transmitter.

1 9. A selection device according to claim 6, wherein the interconnection means  
2 includes a wireless receiver.

1 10. A method for using a selection device, the method comprising:

2 navigating a menu using the selection device, the menu including at least one  
3 selection, the selection device operable in two independent axes, a first axis for changing a  
4 selection and a second axis for acceptance or rejection of the selection;  
5 displaying the selection in a display; and  
6 performing an operation responsive to the selection.

1 11. A method according to claim 10, wherein navigating a menu includes  
2 changing the selection as the selection device is operated along the first axis.

1 12. A method according to claim 10, wherein navigating a menu includes  
2 accepting or rejecting the selection as the selection device is operated along the second axis.

1 13. A method according to claim 10, wherein navigating a menu includes updating  
2 the display as the selection changes.

1 14. A method according to claim 13, wherein updating the display includes  
2 scrolling the display in an up/down direction as the selection device is operated along the first  
3 axis.

1 15. A method according to claim 13, wherein an updating the display includes  
2 scrolling the display in a left/right direction as the selection device is operated along the  
3 second axis.

1 16. A method according to claim 10, the method further comprising  
2 communicating with a second device.

1 17. A method according to claim 16, wherein communicating with a second  
2 device includes communicating with a second device via a cable.

1 18. A method according to claim 16, wherein communicating with a second  
2 device includes wirelessly communicating with a second device.

1 19. A method according to claim 10, wherein  
2 the menu includes at least two levels; and

performing an operation includes opening a second level of the menu.

20. An article comprising:  
a storage medium, said storage medium having stored thereon instructions, that, when  
executed by a selection device, result in:  
navigating a menu using the selection device, the menu including at least one  
selection, the selection device operable in two independent axes, a first axis for changing a  
selection and a second axis for acceptance or rejection of the selection;  
displaying the selection in a display; and  
performing an operation responsive to the selection.

21. An article according to claim 20, wherein navigating a menu includes  
changing the selection as the selection device is operated along the first axis.

22. An article according to claim 20, wherein navigating a menu includes  
accepting or rejecting the selection as the selection device is operated along the second axis.

23. An article according to claim 20, wherein navigating a menu includes updating  
the display as the selection changes.

24. An article according to claim 23, wherein updating the display includes  
scrolling the display in an up/down direction as the selection device is operated along the first  
axis.

25. An article according to claim 23, wherein an updating the display includes  
scrolling the display in a left/right direction as the selection device is operated along the  
second axis.

26. An article according to claim 20, the method further comprising  
communicating with a second device.

27. An article according to claim 26, wherein communicating with a second  
device includes communicating with a second device via a cable.

1           28.     An article according to claim 26, wherein communicating with a second  
2     device includes wirelessly communicating with a second device.

29. An article according to claim 20, wherein:  
the menu includes at least two levels; and  
performing an operation includes opening a second level of the menu.

# PATENT APPLICATION